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MY PREDICTIONS: NEWS BEFORE IT HAPPENS

Is another tempest brewing at the CIA? The file on Stanley Sporkin reveals that as the CIA's general counsel, he tried to intervene with the FBI in an espionage case against a friend of CIA Director William Casey. The documents make clear that Sporkin did it at Casey's behest, but the file is now in the hands of the Senate Judiciary Committee, which is considering Sporkin's nomination to a federal judgeship. I predict the nomination will fail. Don't expect fireworks at the committee hearing, though: The inside story won't be told -- for national security reasons.